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Turin June 1.

ON the 29th paſt the King and Queen of Sicily arrived here from Montcallier, and after an Hour's Stay at the Prince of Carignan's, went to la Venerie. Yeſterday the Court ſet out from la Venerie for Rivole, whence they will proceed to Morrow to Suſa, deſigning to paſs Mount Cenis on the 3d, and to be at St. Jean de Maurienne the next Day: They will ſtop there 3 Days, and then continue their Journey to Thonon in Savoy on the Lake of Geneva, where they propoſe to reſide for ſome time.

Vienna, June 8. The Marquis Spinola the Pope's Nuncio at this Court, delivered a Letter Yeſterday to Count Schonborn Vice-Chancellor of the Empire, to inform him of the Pope's having conferred the Dignity of Cardinal on his Brother Count Schonborn, who is the Imperial Commiſſioner at the Congreſs at Brunſwick. The Emperor and Empreſs do not come hither, but go directly from Laxembourg to Marienzell on the 13th Inſtant, and will be here on the 20th. In the mean time the Miniſters and Chanſeries are returning hither, in order to reſume their reſpective Functions after the Whitſun-Holidays.

Madrid, June 10. The Marquis de Caſtelar, Intendant of Arragon is arrived here, and deſigns to go to Court to inform the King perſonally that 'tis impoſſible to collect the extraordinary Tax demanded this Year of that Kingdom: And 'tis not doubted that like Repreſentations will come from the Provinces of Valencia and Catalonia. Apartments are fitting up in the Imperial College of the Jeſuites for Sig. Aldobrandi the Pope's Nuncio, who is on his way from Paris, where he had waited two Years for his Catholick Majeſty's Conſent to his coming hither; which gives Ground to believe that the Differences between this Court and that of Rome are in a way of Accommodation. Father Daubenton, a Jeſuite, lately ſent for from Rome to be the King's Confeſſor, is expected here this Week; it being known that he is already come by the way of France as far as Navarre. Their Majeſties and the Princes continue at Aranjuez, where the Feſtival of St. Ferdinand has been celebrated magnificently, becauſe the youngeſt Infante bears that Name.

Stockholm May 28. *N. S.* The Adjutant-General Swerin arrived here laſt Week from Stralſund, with a Letter from the King of Sweden to the Hereditary Prince of Heſſe Caſſel; by which his Highneſs was deſired in the moſt obliging Terms to accept the Command of the Army which is to act againſt the Muſcovites for the Defence of this Kingdom: All the General Officers which are to ſerve in this Army, have received Orders to obey his Highneſs; and the Regiments of which it is to be compoſed are all nominated and ſettled. The Choice which the King has made of this Prince for Commander in Chief of his Forces in theſe his antient Dominions, is very acceptable to the Generality of the People. On the 30th Inſtant his Highneſs will ſet out for Oſgrond, to Review the Troops there; and 'tis believed he will make ſome Attempt in Finland, where the Muſcovites have at preſent but few Troops; and ſeveral Ships which are detained here are thought to be deſigned for ſuch an Expedition. The King having thought fit that her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs ſhould aſſiſt at the Deliberations of the Senate now, as ſhe did while he was abſent from his Dominions, ſhe appeared there to Day; and at the ſame time her Conſort the Hereditary Prince of Heſſe Caſſel delivered a Memorial, in which he deſired that the neceſſary Proviſions and Stores for the approaching Campaign might be timely furniſhed.

Stralſund, May 31. *O. S.* On the 24th Inſtant his Swediſh Majeſty, accompanied by a good Number of Officers, took a Turn to the Iſle of Rugen, and viewed moſt of the landing Places on that Iſland; whence he went by Water to the Iſle of Uſedom, and thence returned hither on the 25th all alone none of his Officers having been able to keep Pace with him. His Majeſty was no ſooner arrived than he mounted a freſh Horſe, and after he had rid ſome Paces, the Horſe ſtumbling, he had ſuch a violent Fall that he could not riſe without help: However, he made a ſhift to get on Horſeback again, and continued riding without the leſt Complaint or Show of being hurt, but 'tis reported he has ſince begun to ſpit Blood, the Effects of his former Fall not being yet over. The Swedes here have now in their Hands Bills of Exchange from France for 300000 Dollars, and expect that other Bills may be arrived at Hambourg for as much more; but ſince here are no Merchants at this Place wealthy enough to pay ſuch Sums, and no Remittances can be made in Specie becauſe the Danes keep a watchful Eye, thoſe Bills cannot be turned to preſent Uſe: But to ſupply their preſſing Occaſions, the Swediſh Miniſters endeavour to induce the Merchants here to advance them ſome Money on thoſe Bills at 3 or 4 per Cent. Intereſt. Count Von Dernat and M. Malſpurg, with ſeveral other Paſſengers, ſailed from hence for Sweden with a very fair Wind on the 24th Inſtant; but near the Iſle of Rugen the Packet-boat ran on a Sand-bank where they were all like to have periſhed, the Wind blowing pretty hard; but with much ado ſhe was got off, yet was obliged to put into a Port of that Iſland to repair ſome Damages which ſhe had received. We hear they have ſince purſued their Voyage, and expect to hear ſoon of their Arrival in Sweden. The Number of Workmen employed on the Fortifications of this Place and on the Works without the Town, is at preſent 2000 Men; by which Means this Place will be rendered conſiderably Stronger than it has been formerly.

Copenhagen, June 15. On the 12th Inſtant Admiral Norris with the Fleet under his Command paſſed the Sound, and the next Day came to an Anchor off Dragoe, where he continues; but will proceed with the firſt fair Wind.

Hambourg, June 18. Letters from Petersbourg of the laſt of May adviſe, that when the Czar's Fleet ſails from Croonſlot and from Revel, 20000 Suits of Cloaths and 70000 Sacks of Meal will be tranſported to Finland, beſides the Forces which will be put on board that Fleet. 'Tis adviſed from Warſaw the 5th Inſtant, that King Auguſtus has laid aſide his Deſign of coming to Pomerania, and will continue in Poland. Yeſterday paſſed through this Place a Courier ſent by the King of Pruſſia to the King of Denmark, to preſs the March of the Danes to Pomerania: Hereupon his Daniſh Majeſty has reſolved that his Army ſhall decamp from Grander-Heide on the 21ſt. Sixteen Battallions and 20 Squadrons of Danes are to ſtop before Wiſmar, to form the Blockade of that Place, and the reſt of their Army is to march to join the Pruſſians, which Junction will ('tis ſaid) be on the 6th or on the 8th of next Month at furtheſt. The Command of the Daniſh and Pruſſian Armies when joined, will ('tis ſaid) be decided by Lot for the firſt Day, and afterwards each King will command daily alternately.

Hague, June 21. The States of Holland and Weſt-Friſeland aſſembled on the 19th Inſtant, but have not yet paſſed any Reſolution on the chief Points which they have under Deliberation. We have Advice that General Cadogan was to leave Antwerp this Day, in order to go to England for a Fortnight. An Expreſs arriving here on the 18th from Antwerp, he was preſently diſpatched back with Inſtructions for the Deputies of this State relating to the Affairs of the Spaniſh Netherlands.

Bruſſels, June 22. Mr. Cadogan, his Britiſh Majeſty's Envoy Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, arrived here on the 21ſt at Night from Antwerp, and ſet out this Morn-